

**To:** McCasland, Mark[McCasland.Mark@epa.gov]  
**From:** Garcia, David  
**Sent:** Sat 8/8/2015 3:01:24 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Possible Deployment - Animas River Spill

I am on a call with sam and carl. Stay tuned on deployment.

**From:** McCasland, Mark  
**Sent:** Saturday, August 08, 2015 9:37 AM  
**To:** Garcia, David  
**Subject:** RE: Possible Deployment - Animas River Spill

I got the message from Susan Webster, other than that I am not sure. From what I understand it has been elevated to an Incident, and they have set up an IC in Addison. I got the call from Susan And Angela Restivo about 8:45 this morning

**From:** Garcia, David  
**Sent:** Saturday, August 08, 2015 9:35 AM  
**To:** McCasland, Mark  
**Subject:** RE: Possible Deployment - Animas River Spill

Who is requesting this assistance?

**From:** McCasland, Mark  
**Sent:** Saturday, August 08, 2015 9:25 AM  
**To:** Brown, Jamesr; Garcia, David  
**Cc:** Foster, Althea; Webster, Susan  
**Subject:** FW: Possible Deployment - Animas River Spill  
**Importance:** High

Sorry – forgot to include you in the CC list...

Mark

**From:** McCasland, Mark

**Sent:** Saturday, August 08, 2015 9:23 AM

**To:** McElroy, Damon; Atkins, Blake; Baker, JohnE; Camacho, Amy; Foster, Nichole; Ho, Nancy; Ison, Dawn; Mistry, Jatin; Mlachak, Shirley; Ngo, Kim; Restivo, Angela; Rodriguez, Jose; Waite, Andrew

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**Importance:** High

We are looking at the possibility of sending at least 2 folks with drinking water experience to the Farmington/Santa Fe area to help response efforts for the mine spill into the Animas river that occurred Wednesday at an old mine near Silverton Colorado. New Mexico has several water systems with intakes along the river. The river flows into the San Juan and eventually into the Colorado river. This is a very nasty spill, and the deployment could be as early as later today and last for 5 days (or longer).

Please let me know your availability to deploy.

Andy & Jose – This is only an FYI for you.

Thanks,

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